## Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

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The CPUC encourages all Californians to participate in its meetings, hearings, workshops, and proceedings. We try to hold our public meetings only in places that are wheelchair accessible and which can accommodate specialized equipment and other services useful to people with disabilities. Please see the notice of the meeting you wish to attend for more specifics.

If you plan to attend and need specialized accommodations for a particular meeting that are not listed in the notice, request them from the Public Advisor's Office at least three business days in advance of the meeting. Contact the Public Advisor's Office by any one of the following:

E-mail: public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov FAX: 415-355-5404 (Attn.: Public Advisor)

toll-free: 1-866-849-8390 TTY: 1-866-836-7825 (toll-free)

Voice: 415-703-2074 1-415-703-5282

## REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

March 16, 2004	10 am	San Francisco
April 1, 2004	10 am	San Francisco
April 22, 2004	10 am	San Francisco

## COMMISSION RATESETTING DELIBERATIVE MEETINGS

(Not Open to the Public)

Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting dates are reserved as noted but will only be held if there are ratesetting matters to be considered.

March 12, 2004	1:30 pm	San Francisco
March 29, 2004	1:30 pm	San Francisco
April 19, 2004	1:30 pm	San Francisco

## OTHER COMMISSION MEETINGS

#### NONE

#### **NOTICES**

## **Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing**

Unless otherwise directed, all courier-delivered documents submitted for filing as part of the formal record in a proceeding should be hand-carried directly to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue in San Francisco; Suite 500, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street in Los Angeles; or Room 4006, 1350 Front Street in San Diego. All documents sent through the mail for formal filing should be addressed ONLY to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

## **Charge for Commission Documents**

To purchase Commission documents, there is a charge of 20 cents a printed page (postage prepaid) with a minimum purchase of \$2.00.

## Commission Resources Available for Rental

The auditorium, hearing rooms and training room at the headquarters of the California Public Utilities Commission, located at 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, are available for rent. Further information about requirements and fees can be obtained by contacting Colette Kondo at (415) 703-1401.

## SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

## Subscription to Daily Calendar, Commission Meeting Agenda, and Draft Agenda Items

For information contact: California Public Utilities Commission

Attention: Poly Arca

505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 1003

San Francisco, CA 94102 Phone: (415) 703-1798 E-mail: pol@cpuc.ca.gov

#### **COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS**

#### **NONE**

#### PUBLIC MEETING & WORKSHOPS

## Workshop Notice - Modification of the Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications

March 3, 2004	California Pubic Utilities Commission
10 am – 6 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3104
	(Corner of Van Ness and Golden Gate)
March 4, 2004	San Francisco
9 am – 4 pm	
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The Water Division is hosting a continuation Workshop to solicit public input on the need for modification of the Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications (Commission Decision 90-08-045).

The purpose of the workshop is two fold:

To identify the least controversial issues in the Draft Proposed Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications prepared by the Water Division; and to discuss the necessary components of an interim rate case plan schedule for year 2004.

For your information, the Draft Proposed Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications can be found on the Commission website at http://www.cpuc.ca.gov. (Go to the "Regulated Areas," select "Water" and scroll down to "Helpful Links.")

Questions regarding the workshop should be addressed to Peter Liu of the Water Division at (415) 703-1390 (ptl@cpuc.ca.gov).

# <u>Public Workshop Notice – Working Group 3 workshop to discuss the proposed SPP 2004 customer recruitment and replenishment strategy, information display pilot, and remaining evaluation projects</u>

March 4, 2004	Hiram W. Johnson State Building
10 am – 4:30 pm	455 Golden Gate Avenue, Benicia Conference Room
	San Francisco
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The purpose of this Working Group 3 workshop is to discuss the State Pricing Pilot (SPP) 2004 customer recruitment and replenishment strategy, the information display pilot proposal required by Commission Decision (D.) 04-01-012, and also discuss the updated list of evaluation projects for the remainder of the pilot. For more information contact Moises Chavez at (415) 703-1851 or mcv@cpuc.ca.gov

## Energy Division Workshop – Applications for LIEE PY 2004 Program Plans of the Small and Multi-Jurisdictional Utilities (SMJUs)

March 5, 2004 10 am – 4 pm	California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Training Room
10 cm 1 pm	(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and Golden Gate)
	San Francisco

Per Assigned Commissioner's Ruling (ACR) in Rulemaking 01-08-027, the Energy Division held a workshop with Avista Utilities, Alpine Natural Gas Company, Bear Valley Electric Service Company, PacifiCorp, Sierra Pacific Power Company, Southwest Gas Corporation and West Coast Gas Company on January 26, 2004 at the Commission. The workshop examined issues related to the SMJUs' accounting and reporting methods of the California Alternate Rate for Energy (CARE) and Low-Income Energy Efficiency (LIEE) programs. A follow-up workshop is scheduled for March 5, 2004 to continue these discussions and review reporting requirements proposals submitted by the SMJUs to the Energy Division.

<u>Teleconference Information</u>: The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call: 1-866-675-0748 and then dial pass code 554377. <u>We ask any participants who wish to use this teleconference service to refrain from any additional sounds, such as, music on hold, background noises, as it interferes with the meeting attendees. <u>If necessary, please use the mute function on your phone or disconnect from the call and reconvene at a more convenient time</u>. This location is wheelchair accessible. This meeting is open to the public.</u>

## Public Meeting Notice - Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program

Equipment Program Advisory Committee	Deaf & Disabled Telecommunications Program Offices
(EPAC)	505 14 <sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 400
March 11, 2004	Conference Room
10 am – 4 pm	Oakland
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The EPAC of the Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program will hold a meeting to address the following: Public Meeting Agenda

I. Agenda Modification and Approval, II. CCAF Staff Reports, A. Consumer Affairs Report, B. Consumer Contact Report, C. Field Operations Report, D. Marketing Report, E. Outreach Report, F. CRS Report, III. Administrative Business, A. Report from the Chair, B. Review of Action List Items, C. Review of Minutes from the January 8 and February 11 meetings, IV. CPUC Liaison Report, V. Public Input, VI. Equipment Program Manager's Report, VII. Equipment Update, VIII. Languages other than English in Customer Services and Outreach, IX. Free 411 Service, X. Pay Phone Accessibility, XI. Surplus Equipment, XII. Other Business, A. Member Reports, B. Requests for invention, C. Suggested items for next month's agenda, D. Future meetings

**Meeting Information:** For more information, please contact Jane Elin, DDTP Committee Coordinator at (510) 302-1100 x110 voice or (510) 302-1118 TTY.

**Environmental Notice:** People with environmental illness or multiple chemical sensitivities must reduce their exposure in order to attend this meeting. Please refrain from wearing perfumes or scents to DDTP meetings.

## Workshop Notice--Rulemaking 02-01-011 - Direct Access Load Growth

March 11, 2004	California Public Utilities Commission
9:30 am	505 Van Ness Avenue, Hearing Room A
	San Francisco

Pursuant to the February 19, 2004 ruling of ALJ Thomas Pulsifer, the purpose of this workshop is to address the manner in which DA load growth should be handled consistent with the Commission's DA suspension rules. Workshop participants are to produce a statement summarizing areas of consensus proposals. To the extent consensus cannot be reached, parties are to produce discrete summaries of disagreeing parties' alternative proposals. The Energy Division will produce a workshop report summarizing areas of agreement and disagreement, to be served and filed within five business days from the conclusion of the workshop. Questions regarding the workshop should be addressed to Carlos Velasquez of the Energy Division at (415) 703-1124 (los@cpuc.ca.gov).

## Workshop Notice / Public Meeting

California Teleconnect Fund Administrative Committee	505 Van Ness Ave
March 12, 2004	Training Room
10 am – 3 pm	San Francisco

Meeting Description - 1. Introduction; 2. Public Comments; 3. Review and Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes; 4. Liaison Staff Report, a) Administrative Committee Budget Update, b) Status of CTF fund, c) CTF Claims Res. T-16763. D) Administration of discount for DSL service; 6. Budget Development; 7. Annual Report; 8. Announcements; 9. Member Recommended Agenda Items: CTF Report to Legislature – Speranza Avram, 10. New and Old Business; 11) Future Meeting Date and Time.

## Workshop Notice - R. 03-10-003 Community Choice Aggregation Implementation and Transaction Cost Issues Workshop

Ма	rch 12, 2004	California Public Utilities Commission
10	am – 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue
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		San Francisco
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This workshop relates to the implementation and transaction cost issues in the Community Choice Aggregation Rulemaking (R.03-10-003). The focus of this workshop is to discuss the detailed processes filed by the utilities and related comments. At this workshop, parties will have the opportunity to provide further input towards the costs and types of transactions between future CCAs and utilities.

Contact: Amy Chan at (415) 355-5532 or amy@cpuc.ca.gov

## Public Workshop Notice - Working Group 2: Demand Response Goals and Large Customer Programs

March 15, 2004	California State Building
10 am – 4 pm	455 Golden Gate Avenue
	Benicia Conference Room
	San Francisco

Working Group 2 (> 200 kW customers) of the Demand Response rulemaking (R.02-06-001) will be discussing rollout and signs ups for the large customer programs in 2003, and potential modifications to the 2003 programs, and attainment of the Demand Response goals for 2004. Contact: Bruce Kaneshiro at (415) 703-1187 or bsk@cpuc.ca.gov

## Public Workshop Notice – Baseline Workshop for R01-05-047

March 16, 2004	State of California Building
9:30 am – 4:30 pm	Milton Marks Conference Center
	455 Golden Gate Avenue, San Jose Room
	San Francisco

D04-02-057 directs the Energy Division to hold a workshop to finalize implementation and administrative procedures for the Lower-Middle-Income Large Household Program. Contact: Massis Galestan at (415) 703-1760 or mgm@cpuc.ca.gov.

## Workshop Notice - Resource Adequacy Workshops (R01-10-024)

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March 16, 2004	California Public Utilities Commission
10 am - 5pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Hearing Room A
	(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and Golden Gate)
April 12, 2004	San Francisco
10 am - 4pm	
April 13, 2004	
10 am – 4 pm	
April 14, 2004 (if necessary)	

These workshops will handle the resource adequacy, reserve levels, and deliverability issues discussed in Sections IV.A.8 and 9 of the Commission's January 26, 2004 Procurement decision, D.04-01-050. The specific scope for the workshops and prefiled written comments is set in a February 13, 2004 ALJ ruling that can be accessed and downloaded from the Commission's web site by using the following links: (http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUBLISHED/RULINGS/34041.htm and http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUBLISHED/RULINGS/34146.htm. Contact: Jim Hendry, Division of Strategic Planning, at (415) 703-2692 or jeh@cpuc.ca.gov.

## Workshop - EE Administrative Structure (R.01-08-028) - (UPDATED - 3/3/04)

March 17, 2004	California Public Utilities Commission
9 am – 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Hearing Room A
	(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)
and	San Francisco
March 18, 2004 9 am – 4 pm	

The purpose of this workshop is to (1) identify each area of responsibility for energy efficiency administrator(s), (2) describe the various options for administrative structure, including those implemented in other states, and (3) identify and discuss the range of potential criteria for evaluation the best options for California. The Assigned Commissioner Ruling (ACR) dated 2/06/04 in R.0108028 provides further description and additional information about the topics to be addressed at this workshop.

Please click on www.cpuc.ca.gov/static/industry/electric/energy+efficiency/rulemaking/index.htm and scroll to the bottom of the page to link to new and updated documents that will be discussed at the workshop. These documents include: 1) the workshop agenda, 2) an updated "Administration Functions" description that replaces Section A of Attachment 1 of the 2/6/04 ACR, 3) an Administration Functions Flowchart to be viewed in conjunction with the "Admin Functions" document, and 4)

bios of two of the authors of the EE admin papers that were referenced in the 2/6/04 ACR. For questions about this workshop, please contact Lainie Motamedi at lrm@cpuc.ca.gov or (415) 703-1764.

## NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS (Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))

## NOTICE OF RESOLUTION TO DISCLOSE INVESTIGATIVE REPORT

Draft Resolution Authorizing Disclosure of Commission Consumer Services Division (Utilities Safety Branch) Records Pursuant to a Public Records Act Request by Dennis Sherwin, Esq., on Behalf of Ronak Kotecha, Seeking Disclosure of Commission Staff Investigative Records Relating to an Explosion in a Southern California Edison Company Vault on May 11, 2003 in Norwalk, California Dry Creek Road in Rio Linda, California. (Incident No. EIR E20030511-02). A draft resolution (L-310) by the Legal Division authorizing disclosure of the Utilities Safety Division's investigative report concerning Incident No. EIR E20030511-02, is scheduled for consideration on the March 16, 2004 Commission meeting agenda. The Commission may vote on the resolution at that time, or it may postpone a vote. The Commission may adopt all or part of L-310, amend or modify it, or set it aside and prepare a different resolution. On February 13, 2004 the draft resolution was circulated to the requesting party and Southern California Edison Company, the service list for Resolution L-310, pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 311(g) and Rules 77.7 and 81 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure. Interested parties may review the draft resolution and service list at the "Currently Open for Comment" section of the Commission's Internet site at cpuc.ca.gov. The Commission will consider the draft resolution at its March 16, 2004 meeting. Interested parties may file comments on the draft resolution, and may file replies to comments. An original and 2 copies of comments must be filed with the Legal Division by February 27, 2004, at the address set forth below. Reply comments must be filed by March 10, 2004. Commenters must also serve comments, and reply comments, on the service list, and send copies of comments and reply comments by electronic mail to the e-mail address below. Comments shall focus on factual, legal or technical error in the draft resolution, and reply comments shall be limited to identifying misrepresentations of law and fact contained in the comments of other parties. (Rule 77.7.) Parties may view comments at the Commission's San Francisco Office.

> Fred Harris Legal Division California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 5002 San Francisco, CA 95102

Telephone: (415) 703-1557 E-mail fnh@cpuc.ca.gov

#### **NEW FILINGS**

2/11/04 104-02-008 - Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion, Notice of Opportunity for to be Heard, and Order to Show Cause Regarding the Operations and Practices of Arnold Ray Baeza, an Individual Doing Business as Best Movers.

2/27/04

C04-02-024 - Wayne Ricky Elson Rudder and Myrtle Rudder Johnson, his Mother, and others similarly situated vs. MCI Worldcom Communications, Inc. (U 5378-C), for an order that defendant cease and desist from its illegal practice of refusing to complete telephone calls from California prisoners to their family members and others unless the intended recipient of the calls enters into a contractual agreement with defendant.

### PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

2/25/04

**R01-10-024 -** Order Instituting Rulemaking to Establish Policies and Cost Recovery Mechanisms for Generation Procurement and Renewable Resource Development; **Application for Rehearing of Decision 04-01-050 by Cogeneration Association of California and Energy Producers and Users Coalition.** 

## DRAFT DECISIONS \* PROPOSED DECISIONS \* ALTERNATES \* PRESIDING OFFICER'S DECISION \* ARBITRATOR'S REPORTS

3/2/2004

**I.00-11-001 -** Order Instituting Investigation into Implementation of Assembly Bill 970 Regarding the Identification of Electric Transmission and Distribution Constraints, Actions to Resolve Those Constraints, and Related Matters Affecting the Reliability of Electric Supply; **Proposed Decision of ALJ TerKeurst**.

#### ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

#### **NONE**

# **MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS**Filings with Consumer Protection and Safety Division

### **NONE**

## MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

#### **NONE**

## TABLE OF SUBMISSION DATES FOR THE PRECEDING TWO WEEKS

**2/19/04** ALJ Simon

**C.02-11-011** - Telscape Communications, Inc. (U-6589-C), Complainant, vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company (U-1001-C) Defendant.

#### ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* HEARINGS CONCLUDED

ALJ Henderson

**I.03-07-009** - Investigation for the purpose of establishing a list for the fiscal years 2004-2005 and 2005-2006 of existing and proposed crossings at grade of city streets, county roads or state highways in need of separation, or projects affecting the elimination of grade crossings by removal or relocation of streets or railroad tracks, or existing separations in need of alterations or reconstruction in accordance with Section 2452 of the Streets and Highways Code,

Evidentiary Hearing held and submitted upon receipt of revised staff report due no later than March 26

## REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

#### NONE

#### **NEW SETTINGS**

## NONE

#### LAW AND MOTION

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judges Sarah R. Thomas and John E. Thorson at 10:00 a.m. in one of the Commission's San Francisco Office Hearing Rooms, unless otherwise noted. Law and Motion procedures are governed by Resolution ALJ 164. Copies of Resolution ALJ 164 are available from the Commission's Documents Desk (415) 703-1713 or from Central Files (415) 703-2045.

3/8/04 NONE SCHEDULED

10:00 a.m.

3/15/04 NONE SCHEDULED

10:00 a.m.

3/22/04 NONE SCHEDULED

10:00 a.m.

## FINAL ORAL ARGUMENTS (FOA)

#### NONE

## **HEARINGS**

Dates in parentheses following the word "also" are subject to change without notice. The assigned Commissioner's name is listed next to the proceedings as matter of record; the assigned Commissioner may not be present at the hearing.

 $(PHC) = Prehearing \ Conference$   $(ECP) = Expedited \ Complaint \ Procedure$   $(CA) = Closing \ Argument$   $(EH) = Evidentiary \ Hearing$   $(OSC) = Order \ to \ Show \ Cause$   $(LM) = Law \ \& \ Motion$   $(PPH) = Public \ Participation \ Hearing$  (WS) = Workshop  $(OA) = Oral \ Argument$   $(IAM) = Initial \ Arbitration \ Meeting$   $(FPH) = Full \ Panel \ Hearing$   $(AH) = Arbitration \ Hearing$ 

## 3/4/04 2:00 p.m. ALJ Prestidge Comr Lynch

C.04-01-020 (PHC) - Almond Tree Hulling Co.; Arakelian Farms; Baugher Ranch; Beretta Property Management; Campos Brothers Farms; Central California Almond Growers Association; Central Valley Almond Association, Inc.; CF Koehen & Sons, Inc.; Dairyland Hullers; Farmers Cooperative; Harriet Baldwin; Harris-Woolf Almond Huller; Hashem Naraghi; Hilltop Circle L. Ranch; James M. Paiva; James R. Lewis Orchards Inc.; John Wynn; Minturn Almond Huller Co-OP, Inc.; North State Hulling Co-Op, Inc.; Pacific Almond Co.; Paramount Farms, Inc.; Paramount Farming Company; Parreira Almond Processing Co.; Peter D. Peterson; Stewart and Jasper Orchards; South Valley Farms; Strain Orchards; The Hulling Company, Inc.; TM Duche Nut Co. Inc.; Vernon Paddack; West Valley Hulling/Barry Baker; Xcel Shelling, LLC., Complainants, vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, and Does 1 through 100, inclusive, Defendant,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

## **3/5/04** 9:00 a.m. ALJ TerKeurst

**I.00-11-001** (PHC) - Order Instituting Investigation into Implementation of Assembly Bill 970 Regarding the Identification of Electric Transmission and Distribution Constraints, Actions to Resolve Those Constraints, and Related Matters Affecting the Reliability of Electric Supply,

Comr Lynch

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

## **3/9/04** 10:00 a.m. ALJ Malcolm

Comr Lynch

**A.03-07-036** (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of California American Water Company (U 210 W) for an order authorizing it to increase its rates for water service in its Los Angeles Division to increase revenues by \$1,354,500 or 7.56% in the year 2004, \$842,100 or 4.86% in the year 2005, and \$1,052,000 or 5.22% in 2006,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

## **3/10/04** 10:00 a.m. ALJ McKenzie

**I.00-03-001 (PHC)** - Investigation into the operations and practices of Qwest Communications Corporation, et al. in concerning compliance with Statutes, Commission decisions, and other requirements applicable to the utility's installation of facilities in California for providing Telecommunications service, **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco** 

ALJ McKenzie Comr Lynch

## 3/11/04

2:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. ALJ Thorson Comr Kennedy **A.03-10-017 (PPH)** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its South San Francisco District, and

**A.03-10-018** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its Stockton District, and

**A.03-10-019** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its Mid-Peninsula District, and

**A.03-10-020** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its Salinas District, and

**A.03-10-021** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its Bakersfield District, and

**A.03-10-031** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its Salinas District (excluding the service areas of the County Meadows Mutual Water System and the Indian Springs Mutual Water System),

Kern County Library - Auditorium, 701 Truxtun Avenue, Bakersfield, CA

#### 3/12/04

10:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. ALJ Thorson Comr Brown **I.03-10-038** (PHC) - Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Operations and Practices of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. (U-177-W), and its Owner/Operator, Danny T. Conlin; Notice of Opportunity for Hearing; and Order to Show Cause Why the Commission Should Not Petition the Superior Court for a Receiver to Assume Possession and Operation of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. pursuant to the California Public Utilities Code Section 855,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

## **3/15/04** 10:00 a.m.

ALJ Simon Comr Brown **A.03-10-052** (PHC) - In the Matter of the Application of the City of San Clemente for an order authorizing the construction of five, permanent one-track at-grade crossings and three permanent one-track grade separated crossings and improvement of three existing crossings for the San Clemente Pedestrian Trail, known as the San Clemente Beach Safety Enhancement Project located on the Southern California Regional Rail Authority Orange Subdivision between railroad mile post 204.0 and 206.0 in the City of San Clemente, County of Orange, California,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

3/16/04 A.03-12-016 (PHC) - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902 E) for a Permit to

10:00 a.m. Construct the Mira Sorrento Substation, ALJ Simon Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Wood

3/17/04 R.01-08-028 (WS) - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Examine the Commission's Future Energy

9:00 a.m. Efficiency Policies, Administration and Programs,

ALJ Gottstein Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Kennedy (also March 18)

**3/17/04** 10:00 a.m. ALJ Patrick C.04-02-009 (ECP) - Mary Ann and Richard Dal Porto, Complainants, vs. SBC Pacific Bell, Defendant,

0:00 a.m. Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

**3/17/04** 2:00 p.m. &

7:00 p.m.

**A.03-10-057 (PPH)** - In the Matter of the Application of the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service in 2004 in its Region 1 Customer Service Areas by \$179,200 or 2.62% in the Arden-Cordova CSA; \$93,400 or 1.98% in the

ALJ Vieth Bay Point CSA; and \$115,900 or 4.55% in the Ojai CSA; and various other relief,

Comr Peevey Rancho Cordova Neighborhood Center, Community Room A & B, 10665 Coloma Rd., Rancho

Cordova, CA

**3/19/04** 10:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. ALJ Thorson

Comr Kennedy

**A.03-10-017** (PHC) - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order

Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its South San Francisco District, and

**A.03-10-018** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to

Increase Rates for Water Service in its Stockton District, and

**A.03-10-019** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its Mid-Peninsula District, and

**A.03-10-020** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its Salinas District, and

**A.03-10-021** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its Bakersfield District, and

**A.03-10-031** - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its Salinas District (excluding the service areas of the County

Meadows Mutual Water System and the Indian Springs Mutual Water System),

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

**3/22/04** 3:00 p.m. -5:00 p.m. ALJ Thorson

Comr Kennedy

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Meadows Mutual Water System and the Indian Springs Mutual Water System),

Commission Room 5012, San Francisco

3/23/04 9:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m. **ALJ Thorson** Comr Kennedy A.03-10-017 (EH) - Application of California Water Service Company (U 60 W) for an Order Authorizing it to Increase Rates for Water Service in its South San Francisco District, and

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Meadows Mutual Water System and the Indian Springs Mutual Water System),

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also March 24 – 26 and March 29 - 30)

3/23/04 10:00 a.m. C.03-07-040 (EH) - City of Anaheim, Complainant, vs. Union Pacific Railroad Company, Defendant,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

**ALJ Koss** Comr Brown

3/24/04 C.03-12-037 (PHC) - Gerald Cheney & O'Brien-Cheney, Inc., Complainants, vs. Pacific Gas & Electric,

10:00 a.m. Defendant.

ALJ Walker Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Kennedy

3/25/04 A.03-043 (PHC) - In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON

COMPANY (U 338-E) for a Permit to Construct Electrical Facilities With Voltages Between 50 kV and 5:30 p.m.

ALJ Malcolm 200 kV: Viejo System Project,

Comr Kennedy Mission Viejo City Hall Council Chamber, 200 Civic Center, Mission Viejo, CA

3/26/04

C.03-12-025 (ECP) - Sergio A. Rojo, Complainant, vs. AT & T Wireless, Defendant, Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA 12:00 noon

**ALJ Barnett** 

3/26/04 C.04-02-014 (ECP) - Ana I. Brizuela, Complainant, vs. Sprint PCS, Defendant,

1:00 p.m. **ALJ Barnett** 

Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA

3/29/04 10:00 a.m. ALJ TerKeurst Comr Lynch

I.02-11-040 (EH) - Order Instituting Investigation into the Gas Market Activities of Southern California Gas Company, San Diego Gas and Electric, Southwest Gas, Pacific Gas and Electric, and Southern California Edison and their impact on the Gas Price Spikes experienced at the California Border from March 2000 through May 2001, and

**I.03-02-033** - Order Instituting Investigation Whether San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Southern California Gas Company and Their Holding Company, Sempra Energy, Respondents, Have Complied With Relevant Statutes and Commission Decisions, Pertaining to Respondents' Holding Company Systems and Affiliate Activities,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also March 30, April 1 - 2; April 5 – 9; April 19 – 23; and April 26 - 30)

4/5/04 9:00 a.m. **ALJ Wong** Comr Peevey A.03-08-004 (EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Adoption of its 2004 Energy Resource Recovery Account (ERRA) Forecast Revenue Requirement, for Review of Contract Administration, Least Cost Dispatch and Procurement Activities during the Record Period January 1, 2003, Through May 31, 2003, and for Approval of its 2004 Ongoing Competition Transition Charges (CTC) Revenue Requirement and Proposed Rate Design. (U 39 E),

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also April 6 - 8)

4/5/04 C.04-02-018 (ECP) - Brian and Lisa Schoenfeld, Complainants, vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company,

12:00 noon Defendant.

**ALJ Barnett** Department of Transportation, District 5 – Sycamore Room, 50 Higuera Street, San Luis Obispo,

CA

California Public Utilities Commission

4/7/04 R.03-08-018 (PHC) - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Review Policies Concerning Intrastate Carrier

11:00 a.m. Access Charges,

ALJ Malcolm Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Peevey

Comr Kennedy

9:00 a.m.

4/8/04 R.03-09-005 (OA) - Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Evaluate Existing 10:00 a.m. Practices and Policies for Processing General Rate Cases and to Revise the General Rate Case Plan for

**ALJ Bushey** Class A Water Companies.

Comr Brown Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

4/12/04 I.03-10-038 (PHC) - Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Operations and Practices of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. (U-177-W), and its Owner/Operator, Danny T. Conlin; Notice of 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m. Opportunity for Hearing; and Order to Show Cause Why the Commission Should Not Petition the

**ALJ Thorson** Superior Court for a Receiver to Assume Possession and Operation of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co.

Comr Brown Inc. pursuant to the California Public Utilities Code Section 855,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

4/12/04 A.03-01-013 (EH) - Application of the Pasadena Avenue Monterey Road Committee for variance of 9:30 a.m. General Order 143B and authority to explore and enter into negotiations for consideration and **ALJ Simon** 

implementation pursuant to Public Utilities Code (PUC) §§ 1202, 7604 as a pilot project as permitted by

SB 1491, and

A.03-07-049 - Application of the Pasadena Avenue Monterey Road Committee and City of South

Pasadena for Variance of General Order 75-C, and

A.03-07-050 - In the Matter of the Application of the City of South Pasadena for Approval of Ordinance 2121 Relating to Limitations of Train Speeds Pursuant to Section 7658 of the California Public Utilities

Code,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also April 13 - 16)

4/12/04 A.03-10-022 (Reasonableness Phase) (EH) - Application of Southern California Edison Company (U

10:00 a.m. 338-E) For Approval of its 2004 Revenue Requirement and Related Estimates Under the Energy Resource ALJ Fukutome Recovery Account (ERRA); And For a Commission Finding that its Procurement-Related and Other Comr Peevey Operations were Reasonable for the Record Period September 1, 2001 Through June 30, 2003,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also April 13 - 16)

4/13/04 I.03-10-038 (EH) - Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Operations and Practices of

9:00 a.m.the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co. Inc. (U-177-W), and its Owner/Operator, Danny T. Conlin; Notice of 3:00 p.m. Opportunity for Hearing; and Order to Show Cause Why the Commission Should Not Petition the Superior Court for a Receiver to Assume Possession and Operation of the Conlin-Strawberry Water Co.

**ALJ Thorson** 

Comr Brown Inc. pursuant to the California Public Utilities Code Section 855,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also April 14 – 16 and April 19)

4/14/04 A.03-10-006 (EH) - In the matter of the Application of the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER

COMPANY (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service by \$15,377,000 or

ALJ Vieth 19.34% in 2004; by \$6,642,000 or 6.98% in 2005; and by \$6,629,700 or 6.51% in 2006 in its

Comr Wood Metropolitan Service Area,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also April 15 - 20)

**4/15/04 A.04-01-009 (PHC)** – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 E) for authority to increase revenue requirements to recover the costs to replace steam generators in Units 1 and 2 of the Diablo

ALJ O'Donnell Canyon Power Plant,

Comr Brown Commission Auditorium, San Francisco

4/20/04 C.03-10-030 (EH) - U.S. TelePacific Corp. (U-5721-C), Complainant, vs. Verizon California, Inc. (U-

9:30 a.m. 1002-C), Defendant,

ALJ Simon Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Brown

4/21/04 C.03-08-030 (EH) – County of Los Angeles, Complainant, vs. Union Pacific Railroad Company,

10:00 a.m. Defendant,

ALJ Koss Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Peevey

4/22/04 C.03-11-019 (EH) - Francis J. Belanger, dba J&S Machine, Complainant, vs. Southern California Edison

1:00 p.m. Company, Defendant,

ALJ Econome Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA

Comr Brown

4/26/04 C.02-07-044 (EH) – The Utility Consumers' Action Network (UCAN), Complainant, v. Pacific Bell

10:00 a.m. Telephone Company, AOL-Time Warner, Inc., Does 1-100, Defendants,

ALJ Walker Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Brown (also April 27 - 30)

5/4/04 C.01-09-011 (PHC) - Enron Energy Services, Inc. and Enron Energy Marketing Corp., Complainants, vs.

2:00 p.m. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Defendant, and

ALJ Barnett C.01-01-032 - Enron Energy Services, Inc. and Enron Energy Marketing Corp., Complainants, vs. Pacific

Comr Wood Gas and Electric Company, Defendant,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

5/7/04 A.00-07-013 (PHC) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Review and Recovery of

10:00 a.m. Costs Recorded in the Electric Restructuring Costs Account (ERCA) for 1999 and Forecast for 2000 and

ALJ Mattson 2001. (U 39 E),

Comr Wood Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

5/12/04 A.03-08-004 (EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Adoption of its 2004 Energy

9:00 a.m. Resource Recovery Account (ERRA) Forecast Revenue Requirement, for Review of Contract

ALJ Wong Administration, Least Cost Dispatch and Procurement Activities during the Record Period January 1,

Comr Peevey 2003, Through May 31, 2003, and for Approval of its 2004 Ongoing Competition Transition Charges

(CTC) Revenue Requirement and Proposed Rate Design. (U 39 E),

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also May 13 - 14)

5/24/04 R.03-10-003 (EH) - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Implement Portions of AB 117 Concerning

10:00 a.m. Community Choice Aggregation,

ALJ Malcolm Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Peevey (also May 25 - 27)

5/25/04 A.02-12-027 (PHC) - Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY for authority to

10:00 a.m. update its gas revenue requirement and base rates. (U 904 G), and

ALJ Long

A.02-12-028 - Application of SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY for authority to update its

Comr Wood gas and electric revenue requirement and base rates. (U 902-M), and

**I.03-03-016** - Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Rates,

Operations, Practices, Service and Facilities of Southern California Gas Company and San Diego Gas &

Electric Company,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

6/1/04 A.03-10-057 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER

9:00 a.m. COMPANY (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service in 2004 in its Region ALJ Vieth 1 Customer Service Areas by \$179,200 or 2.62% in the Arden-Cordova CSA; \$93,400 or 1.98% in the

Comr Peevey Bay Point CSA; and \$115,900 or 4.55% in the Ojai CSA; and various other relief,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also June 2 - 3)

6/1/04 A.02-12-027 (EH) - Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GAS COMPANY for authority to

9:30 a.m. update its gas revenue requirement and base rates. (U 904 G), and

A.02-12-028 - Application of SAN DIEGO GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY for authority to update its **ALJ Long** Comr Wood

gas and electric revenue requirement and base rates. (U 902-M), and

**I.03-03-016** - Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into the Rates,

Operations, Practices, Service and Facilities of Southern California Gas Company and San Diego Gas &

Electric Company,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also June 2 – 4 and June 7 - 11)

6/7/04 I.00-11-001 (EH) - Order Instituting Investigation into Implementation of Assembly Bill 970 Regarding 10:00 a.m.

the Identification of Electric Transmission and Distribution Constraints, Actions to Resolve Those

ALJ TerKeurst Constraints, and Related Matters Affecting the Reliability of Electric Supply,

Comr Lynch Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also June 8 - 11 and June 14 - 18)

6/7/04 R.03-03-017 (EH) - Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own Motion to re-examine the 10:00 a.m. underlying issues involved in the submetering discount for mobile home parks and to stay D.01-08-040,

ALJ O'Donnell

Comr Brown **I.03-03-018** - Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own Motion to re-examine the underlying issues involved in the submetering discount for mobile home parks and to stay D.01-08-040,

and

C.00-01-017 - Robert Hambly, for Himself and, On Behalf of the Residents of Los Robles Mobilehome Park, Complainant, vs. Hillsboro Properties, a California Limited Partnership, and the City of Novato,

Defendants,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also June 8 - 11 at 9:30 a.m.)

6/8/04 A.03-12-010 (EH) - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902 E) for a Finding of

10:00 a.m. Prudence Regarding its Power Procurement Activities, and for Approval of Expenses Recorded to the

ALJ Galvin Electric Resource Recovery Account, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco Comr Peevey

(also June 9 at 9:00 a.m.)

6/14/04 R.93-04-003 (Verizon UNE Phase) (EH) - Rulemaking on the Commission's Own Motion to Govern 9:30 a.m. Open Access to Bottleneck Services and Establish A Framework for Network Architecture Development

ALJ Duda of Dominant Carrier Networks, and

Comr Peevey 1.93-04-002 - Investigation on the Commission's Own Motion into Open Access and Network

Architecture Development of Dominant Carrier Networks,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also June 15 - 18)

6/16/04 C.03-09-001 (PHC) - Casmalia Community Services District, Complainant, vs. Unocal Corporation, also

10:00 a.m. known as Casmite Water System, Defendant, and

12:00 p.m. A.03-12-024 - In the Matter of the Application of The Casmite Corporation for a Certificate of Public **ALJ Thorson** Convenience and Necessity to Operate a Public Utility System Near Casmalia in the County of Santa

Comr Brown Barbara and to Establish Rates for Service,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

6/21/04 C.03-09-001 (EH) - Casmalia Community Services District, Complainant, vs. Unocal Corporation, also

9:00 a.m. - known as Casmite Water System, Defendant, and

3:00 p.m. A.03-12-024 - In the Matter of the Application of The Casmite Corporation for a Certificate of Public ALJ Thorson Convenience and Necessity to Operate a Public Utility System Near Casmalia in the County of Santa

Comr Brown Barbara and to Establish Rates for Service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Commission Courtroom, San Francis

(also June 22 – 25)

7/19/04 A.00-07-013 (EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for Review and Recovery of Costs 9:30 a.m. Recorded in the Electric Restructuring Costs Account (ERCA) for 1999 and Forecast for 2000 and 2001.

ALJ Mattson (U 39 E),

Comr Wood Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also July 20 - 23)

**8/2/04 A.04-01-009 (EH)** – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company (U 39 E) for authority to increase 10:00 a.m. revenue requirements to recover the costs to replace steam generators in Units 1 and 2 of the Diablo

ALJ O'Donnell Canyon Power Plant,

Comr Brown Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also August 3 – 6 and August 9 – 13 at 9:30 a.m.)

10/19/04 A.03-12-008 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY

10:00 a.m. (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing treatment of net proceeds from real property sales as subject to Public Utilities Code § 790 and for establishment of memorandum accounts to record net sales

Comr Kennedy proceeds,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also October 20)

## NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING

On September 20, 1996, the Commission adopted Resolution ALJ 169 regarding the "Filing of Notice of Denial of Request for Ex Parte Meeting." The resolution implements an interim procedure whereby a party whose written request for an ex parte meeting with a Commissioner has been denied will be allowed to file a notice of such denial. Copies of Resolution ALJ 169 are available from the Commission's Central Files Office at 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2002, San Francisco; telephone (415) 703-2045. Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

**NONE** 

#### NOTICE OF ALL-PARTY MEETINGS (PU Code § 1701.3(c))

#### NONE

## NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

2/23/04 A02-07-022 San Diego Gas & Electric Company, for a Certificate of Public

Convenience and Necessity for the Miguel - Mission 230kV #2 Project.

**Summary:** On February 20, 2004, James Detmers, Vice President of Grid Operations for the California Independent System Operator (ISO), sent a letter (copy attached to the notice) to Cmmrs. Peevey, Wood, Lynch, Brown and Kennedy.

Filer: California Independent System Operator

Contact: Grant A. Rosenblum Phone: (916) 608-7138

2/23/04 A03-06-040 Southern California Gas Company (U 904-G), in compliance with

Resolution G-3334 for a System of Firm, Tradable Receipt Point

Capacity Rights and related provisions.

Summary: THIS IS AN AUGMENTED NOTICE OF AN EX PARTE COMMUNICATION THAT WAS FILED ON FEBRUARY 6, 2004, AND APPEARED IN THE CALENDAR OF FEBRUARY 19,

2004. On February 3, 2004, Norman A. Pedersen, counsel for the Southern California Generation Coalition (SCGC), met with Roosevelt Grant, advisor to Pres. Peevey, in San Francisco. Also present were Marcel Hawiger for The Utility Reform Network and Matthew Brady for the Department of General Services. Pedersen informed the Commission about SCGC's objections to the Comprehensive Settlement Agreement (CSA). Pedersen said that the CSA was an industry initiative, which, in the four years since the CSA was filed has lost industry support, and that circumstances had changed since the CSA was filed. Pedersen referred to R04-01-025 (OIR) and stated that the OIR could moot many of the assumptions that underlie the CSA. Pedersen also observed that in the OIR the Commission would be examining whether utilities should be put at risk, which would challenge a CSA assumption that Southern California Gas Company should be put 100 percent at risk for backbone revenues.

Filer: Southern California Generation Coalition

Contact: Rosemarie McBride Phone: (213) 430-2505

email: rmcbride@hanmor.com

2/23/04 I02-04-026 Order Instituting Investigation into the ratemaking implications

for Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) pursuant to the Commission's Alternative Plan of Reorganization under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code for PG&E, in the United States Bankruptcy Court, Northern District of California, San Francisco Division, In re Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Case No. 01-

30923 DM.

**Summary:** On February 19, 2004, Dan L. Carroll, counsel to the Merced Irrigation District (MID), had a telephone discussion with Julie Fitch, advisor to Pres. Peevey. Carroll discussed MID's comments on the pending draft decision concerning the rate design settlement proposed by Pacific Gas and Electric Company and other parties in this docket. The comments discussed were filed on February 19, 2004.

**Filer: Merced Irrigation District** 

Contact: Marian Lyons Phone: (916) 444-1000

2/23/04 A00-11-038 Southern California Edison Company, for authority to institute a

rate stabilization plan with a rate increase and end of rate freeze

tariffs.

A00-11-056 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for emergency application to

adopt a rate stabilization plan.

A00-10-028 The Utility Reform Network, for modification of Resolution E-

3527.

**Summary:** On February 18, 2004, Erik Jacobson, Chief, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas & Electric Company (PG&E), met with Mike Campbell, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch, in San Francisco. Also present was Brian Cherry, Director, Regulatory Relations, PG&E. Cherry and Jacobson discussed the petition for modification filed by Southern California Edison Company on changing the bond allocation charge. Cherry stated that the Commission should retain the current bond charge allocation. Jacobson explained

the reasons why the bond charge revenue requirement should be allocated differently from the power charge revenue requirement. Cherry also stated that the current equal cents per kilowatt hour allocation was consistent with the treatment of transition costs in the natural gas industry.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Michelle Brown Phone: (415) 973-4662 email: mtt3@pge.com

2/24/04 A02-05-046 Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E), Regarding the

Future Disposition of the Mohave Generating Station.

**Summary:** On February 20, 2004, James I. Ham, counsel for the Hopi Tribe, sent a letter (copy attached to the notice) to Cmmr. Lynch. Copies of the letter were addressed to Cmmrs. Brown, Kennedy, Peevey and Wood.

Filer: Hopi Tribe

Contact: James I. Ham, Esq. Phone: (213) 243-4000

email: james\_ham@aporter.com

2/25/04 A03-06-040 Southern California Gas Company (U 904-G), in compliance with

Resolution G-3334 for a System of Firm, Tradable Receipt Point

Capacity Rights and related provisions.

**Summary:** On February 20, 2004, Judy Peck, Regulatory Relations Manager for Sempra Energy utilities (SEU) Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas) and San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E), met with Trina Horner, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch, in San Francisco. Also present was Marzia Zafar, CPUC Relations Manager for SEU. Peck expressed SEU's support for the Cmmr. Lynch's alternate and discussed specific issues that need to be clarified in the alternate. Specifically, Peck pointed out that certain Advice Letters of SDG&E and SoCalGas are in effect today and should not be vacated.

Filer: Southern California Gas Company and San Diego Gas & Electric Company Contact: Renee Le Camus

Phone: (415) 202-9986

email: rlecamus@semprautilities.com

2/25/04 A02-05-046 Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E), Regarding the

Future Disposition of the Mohave Generating Station.

**Summary:** On February 24, 2004, Mark Fogelman of Steefel, Levitt & Weiss, P.C., attorneys for the Navajo Nation, had delivered a letter (copy attached to the notice) to Cmmr. Lynch. Copies of the letter were also served on Cmmrs. Peevey, Wood, Brown, Kennedy, and ALJs Brown and Malcolm. The letter responded to the Commission's request for clarification on the status of the execution of Memorandum of Understanding.

Filer: Navajo Nation

Contact: Mark Fogelman Phone: (415) 788-0900

 $email:\ mfogelman@steefel.com$ 

2/26/04 R93-04-003 Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on Commission's own

motion to govern open access to bottleneck services and establish a framework for network architecture development of dominant

carrier networks and

I93-04-002 Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's

own motion into open access and network architecture

development of dominant carrier networks.

**Summary:** On February 24, 2004, Bill Barr, Executive Vice President and General Counsel, Verizon California Inc. (Verizon), met with Cmmr. Kennedy in San Francisco. Also present were Tim Sullivan, advisor to Cmmr. Kennedy, and Tim McCallion, President-Pacific Region, Verizon. Barr noted that UNE rates are not based upon forward-looking costs and should be raised to reasonable rates. Barr also explained that Verizon needs appropriate relief that was granted in the Federal Communications Commission TRO decision in order to have a healthy robust business. Barr noted that the current level of

UNE discouraged investments by incumbent local exchange carriers and by competitive local exchange carriers.

Filer: Verizon California Inc. Contact: Cherisma Feril

Contact: Cherisma Feril Phone: (415) 474-4921

2/26/04 R01-09-001 Order instituting rulemaking on the Commission's own motion to

assess and revise the new Regulatory Framework for Pacific Bell

and Verizon California Incorporated.

I01-09-002 Order instituting investigation on the Commission's own motion

to assess and revise the New Regulatory Framework for Pacific

Bell and Verizon California Incorporated.

**Summary:** On February 22, 2004, Lee Whei-Tan of Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA) met with Cmmr. Wood in San Francisco. Also present were Jonathan Lakritz, advisor to Cmmr. Wood, James Simons of the ORA and Robert Cagen of the Legal Division. Written material (attached to the notice) was used. Tan explained that the Pacific Bell's PBOP regulatory write-off is supported by the record and Commission decisions. Tan also noted that no evidence supports any conclusion or fear that the proposed decision would impact employee levels or benefits.

Filer: Office of Ratepayer Advocates - Cagen

Contact: Rosario Espino Phone: (415) 703-1858

email: mre@cpuc.ca.gov

2/27/04 A99-10-010 GTE California Incorporated, for authority pursuant to Public

Utilities Code Section 851 to lease space to third parties and

affiliates, and to share certain assets with affiliates.

**Summary:** On February 24, 2004, Tim McCallion, President-Pacific Region, Verizon California Inc. (Verizon), met with Lester Wong, advisor to Cmmr. Peevey, in San Francisco. Also present was Michelle A. Robinson, Vice President-Regulatory, Verizon. McCallion pointed out that the alternate decision was superior to the draft decision and provides a reasonable approach to Verizon's shared asset methodology because it approves the methodology under Section 851 and relieves Verizon of the need to prepare individual space and office equipment leases with the three affiliates or to file those leases for Commission approval in subsequent formal applications. McCallion pointed out that, in contrast, the draft decision of ALJ Walker dated January 8, 2004 perpetuates burdensome and inefficient review of such transactions under Section 851 of the Code.

Filer: Verizon California Inc.

Contact: Cherisma Feril Phone: (415) 474-4921

2/27/04 A99-03-025 Roseville Telephone Company, to review its New Regulatory

Framework.

**Summary:** On February 24, 2004, Sean P. Beatty of Cooper, White & Cooper LLP, counsel to SureWest Telephone Company, formerly known as Roseville Telephone Company, sent a letter (copy attached to the notice) to Robert J Wullenjohn, advisor to Cmmr. Brown. In the letter, Beatty explained that the record was adequate to support adoption of the alternate of Cmmr. Kennedy.

Filer: SureWest Telephone Company formerly known as Roseville Telephone Company

Contact: Janet Doherty Phone: (415) 433-1900